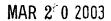
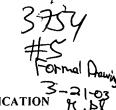
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Consistent with the October 16, 2002 Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review, which requires submission of new formal drawings, enclosed and submitted herewith are new formal drawings for

Figures 1-5, in substitution of the originally filed correspondingly numbered patent drawings. The new formal drawings overcome all objections in the Notice of Draftsperson's Patent Drawing Review.

If any issues remain outstanding with respect to such formal drawings, the Office is requested to contact the undersigned at (919) 419-9350 to discuss their resolution, and expedite allowance of the present application.

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